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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Official Action mailed January 2, 2002, the period for responding having been extended three (3) months, please consider the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 9, 13, 21, 33 and 57-59 as follows. Claims 9, 13, 21, 33 and 57-59 are presented below in their amended form. The amendments to the above-noted claims are outlined in an Attachment to the Amendment using the conventional indication method of bracketing and underlining.

9. (Amended) A device having at least one liquid crystal panel, said liquid crystal panel comprising:

a first substrate having an insulating surface;

a second substrate being opposed to the first substrate;

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